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Fort Ashby High School
Fort Ashby, W. Va.



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FORTRESS

We possess
all that's beautiful

As far as we can see

We count
ourselves most fortunate.

Come, walk along with us.

Fort Ashby High School

*Fort Ashby
West Virginia*



The Fortress invites you to walk through the past year and
the vigorous activities, the helpful classes, the wonderful
of 1961-62.

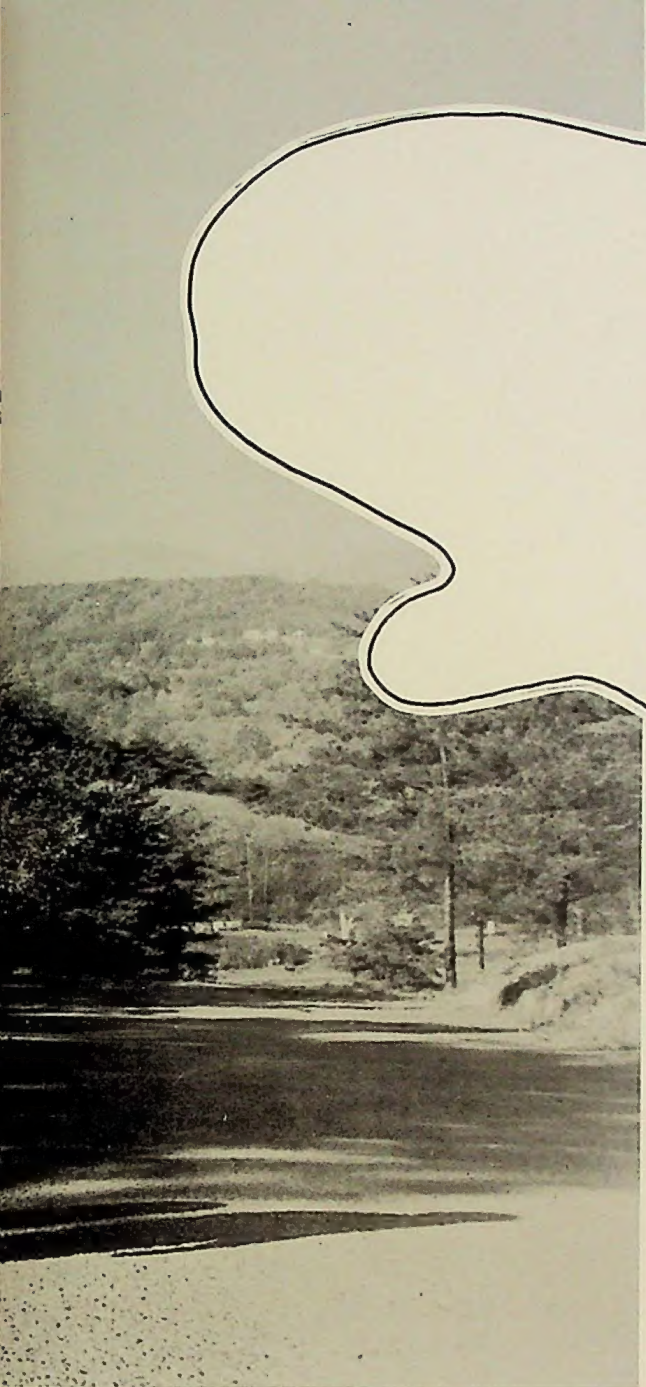


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friendships, and the unforgettable days

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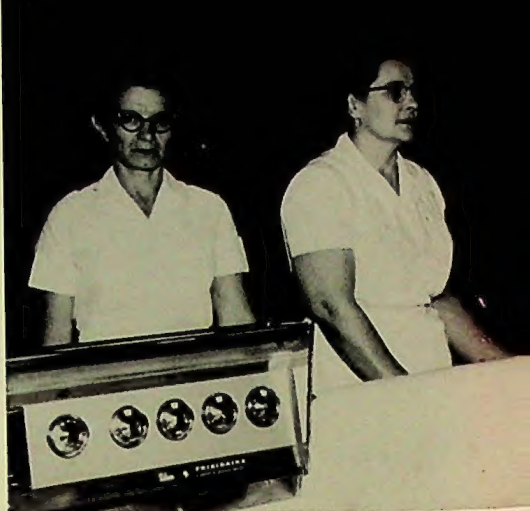




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CUSTODIAN
Mrs. James Kerns



COOKS
Mrs. Grace Barnes and Mrs. Edith Thompson

Service Staff



HELPER
Mr. Dan Whitacre



BUS DRIVERS
Mr. Bill Sherman, Mr. Junior Bowers, Mr. Dan Whitacre,
Mr. Marvin Biser, Mr. Floyd Wagoner, and Mr. Glenn Judy.



Dedication

We, the Class of 1962, proudly dedicate our FORTRESS to you Mrs. Shepp for whom we hold such high regard, both as teacher and friend.

In return for the priceless gifts of knowledge and inspiration you have bestowed upon us, we deeply express our gratitude for the guidance and support you have given us.



MR. KENNETH CLIFTON
1961-62 8B Homeroom
B. A., Salem College '61
ocial Studies, English, and
cience



MRS. PATRICIA E. FARRIS
1961-62 10B Homeroom
B. S., Concord College '60
English, Journalism, and Civics



MR. J. RAY HAINES
B. S. - M. A., West Virginia
University '57
Guidance Counselor



MRS. BETTY HOWARD
1959-62
B. S., Morris Harvey '53
M. A., Marshall '59
English and History
Librarian

Faculty

MR. ROBERT L. KNIERIM
1958-62
A. B., West Liberty '58
English and Music

MR. HOMER A. MAY
1955-62 8A Homeroom
A. B., Shepherd '36
M. A., West Virginia University '40
English and History

MR. LANE M. OAKMAN
1959-62 10A Homeroom
A. B., Shepherd '59
Social Studies and Commerce





MR. EDWARD L. RILEY
1959-62
A. B., Shepherd '59
Biology, Science, and Physical
Education



MR. QUENTIN F. SAYERS
1954-62 12 Homeroom
A. B., Shepherd '50
M. S., West Virginia University '54
Physical Education and Social
Studies



MRS. MILDRED G. SHEPP
1958-62 9B Homeroom
B. S., West Virginia University '58
Home Economics and English

Faculty

MR. ROBERT A. SIRK
1960-62
B. S. - A. B., Shepherd '58
Math



MR. DONALD J. THORN
1956-62 7 Homeroom
B. S., West Virginia University '56
Vocational Agriculture and Shop

MR. MAURICE F. TREACY
1961-62 9A Homeroom
B. S., Loyola College '43
French, English and Mathematics

MR. KENNETH V. WARD
1961-62 11 Homeroom
A. B., West Virginia University '52
Biology, Physics, and Science





Principal
MR. J. WILLIAM MARKER



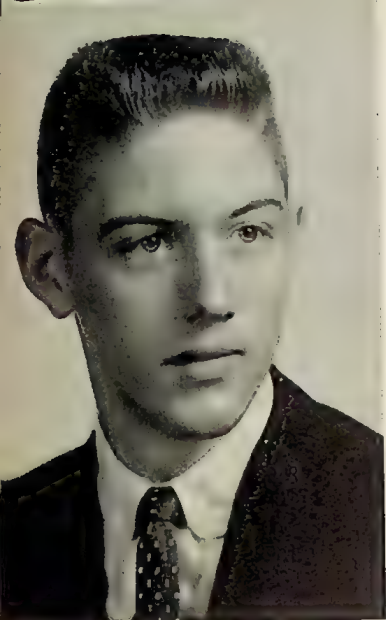
Secretary
MRS. LOUISE BRELSFORD

Principal's Message

Class of '62

During the past four years, I have watched you progress and mature from boys and girls to young men and women. Now you are ready to walk alone in the adult world, prepared to take your place as a worthwhile citizen in your community.

As you leave, I trust that you will remember what you have learned here at FAHS, and that you will succeed in attaining the goals for which you strive.



President
HAROLD RAY KERNS
"Cousy"



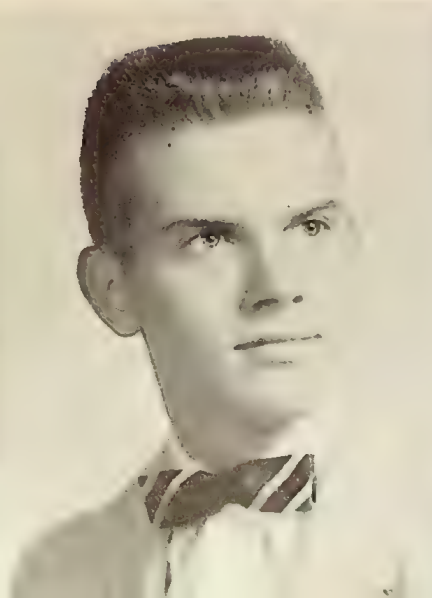
Vice-President
SHARON KAY DOLLY
"Kay"

Seniors

Reporter
BARBARA LOU MALONE
"Bobby"



Treasurer
JERRY EUGENE GENTRY
"Jerry"



Secretary
WANDA MAE UMSTOT
"Wanda"



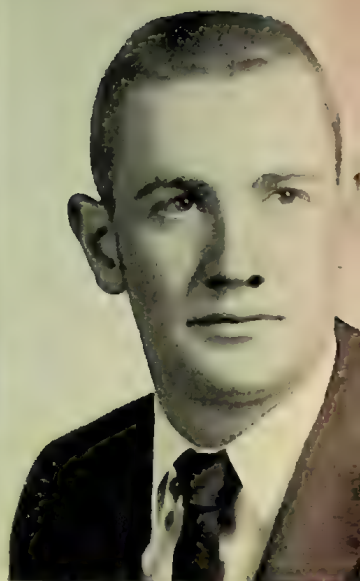
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LINDA DARLENE ADAMS
"Linda"



MARY BELLE BORDER
"Mary Belle"



PAUL DAVID BORROR
"Paul"

Seniors

JEANNE KATHRYN BOYLAND
"Tillie"



JUDY MAE CLARK
"Judy"

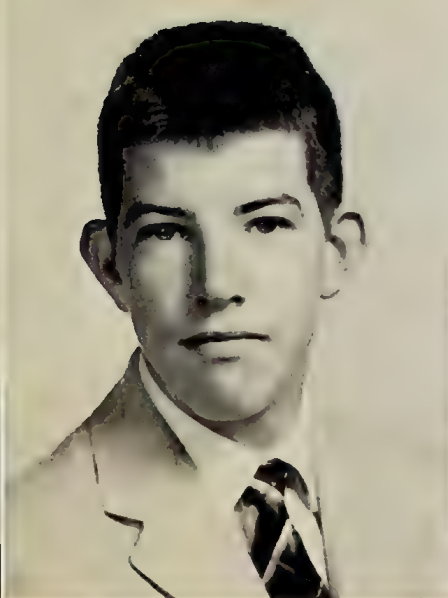


WILLIAM FRANKLIN COSNER
"Bill"





RONALD CURTIS CRIDER
"Ronnie"



JOHN MAURICE DOWDEN
"Maurice"



OLEN DAVID GETZ
"Olen"

Seniors

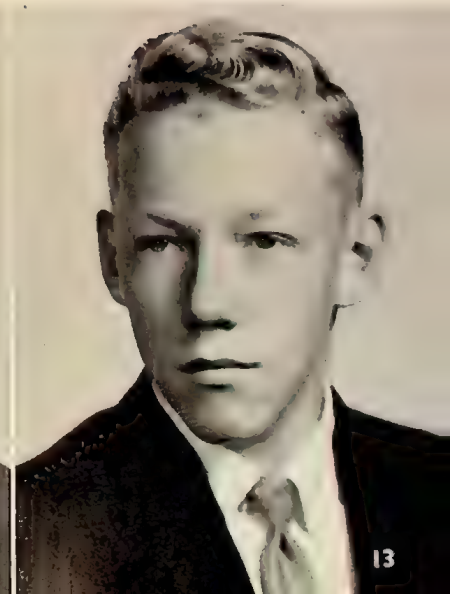
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"Shirley"

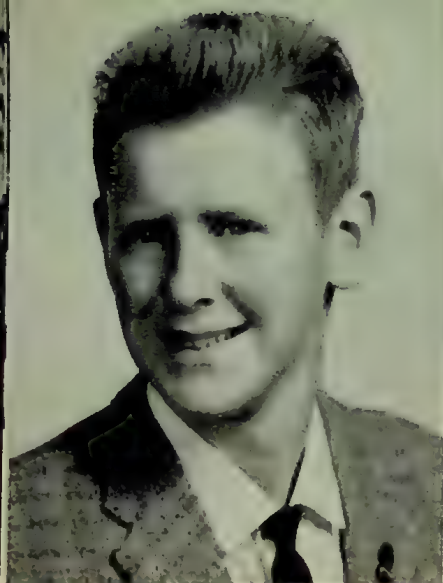


DAVID CHESTER HINKLE
"Bob"



JAMES MADISON HOEY
"Jim"





HARRY ELMER HOUSEHOLDER
"Harry"



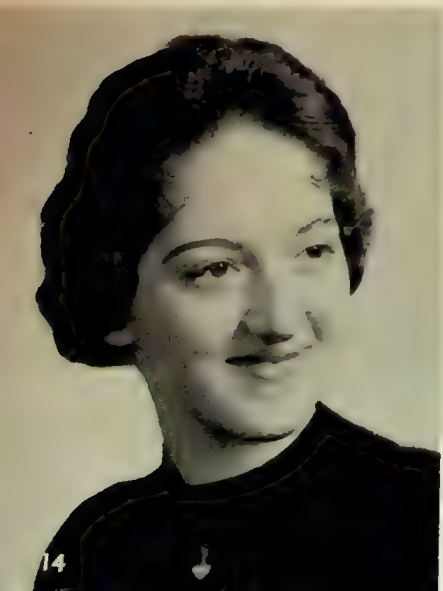
JUDY ELLEN ISNER
"Judy"



VERNON DARL ISNER
"Vernon"

Seniors

DEANNA LEE KENNEY
"Deanna"



JUDITH ANN KENNEY
"Judy"



KENNETH EUGENE KIMBLE
"Kenny"





JOYCE KATHRYN LARK
"Joy"



SHIRLEY MAE LEASE
"Shorty"



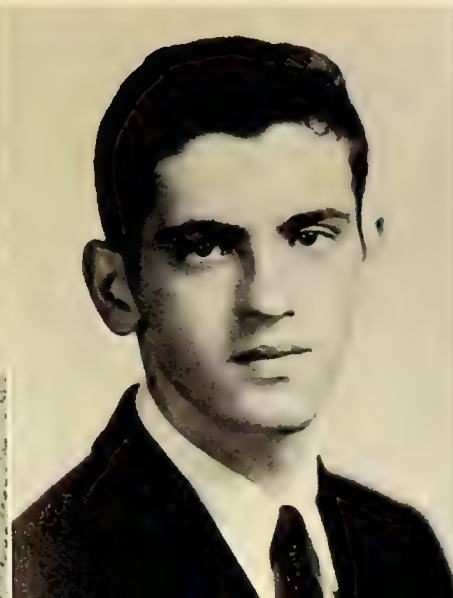
GLENWOOD ROYCE LOGSDON
"Glen"

Seniors

JOHN MARTIN MAUK
"Jack"

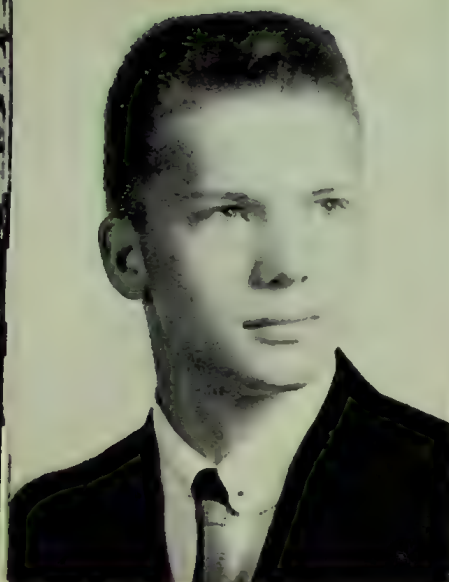


DARL WOODROW MELLON
"Darl"



RITA KAY NESTOR
"Rita"

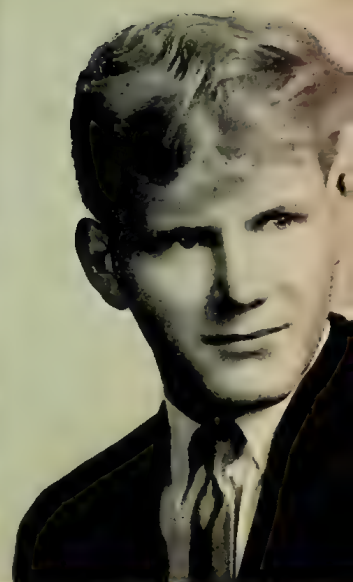




LINDLEY HUNT NEWCOMER
"Lin"



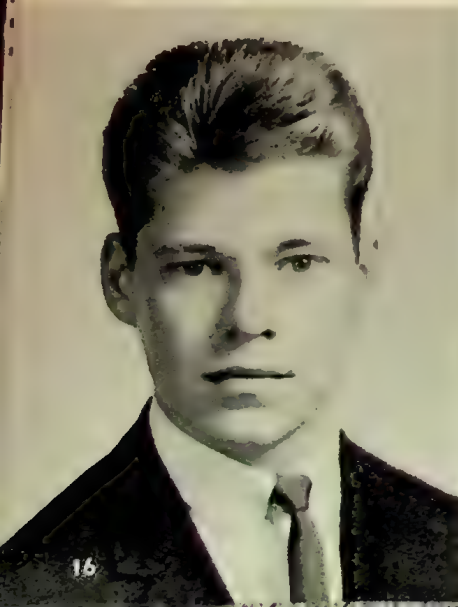
SHARON LEE PARSONS
"Sherry"



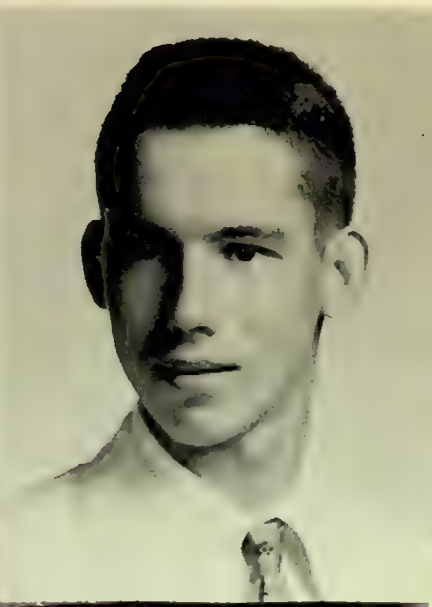
ROBERT WAYNE PEER
"Wayne"

Seniors

EDGELL FRANKLIN PYLES
"Frank"

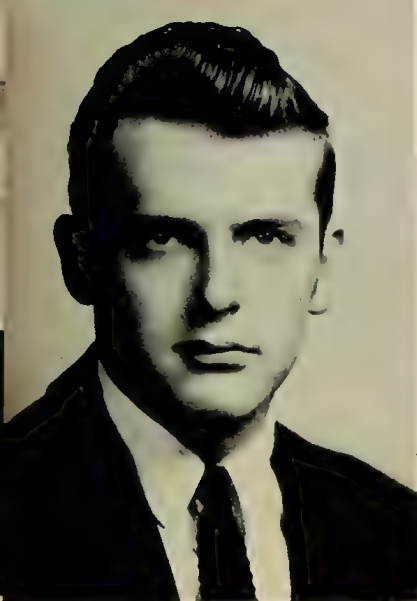


JAMES RICHARD RHODES
"Jim"



JUDY ANN ROBISON
"Judy"

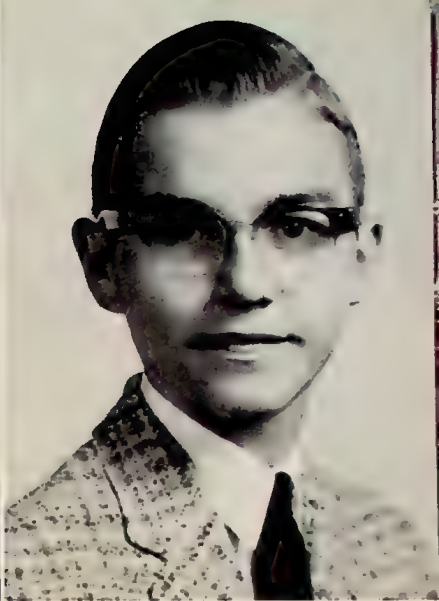




JAMES EDWARD ROSSKAMP
"Elk"



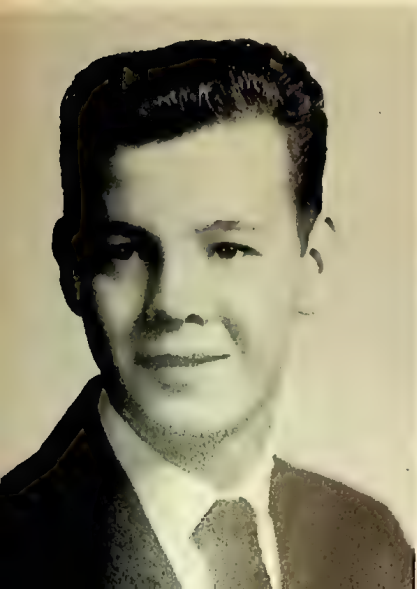
BARBARA LEIGH SAMPSON
"Barbara"



DAVID MELVIN SNYDER
"Dave"

Seniors

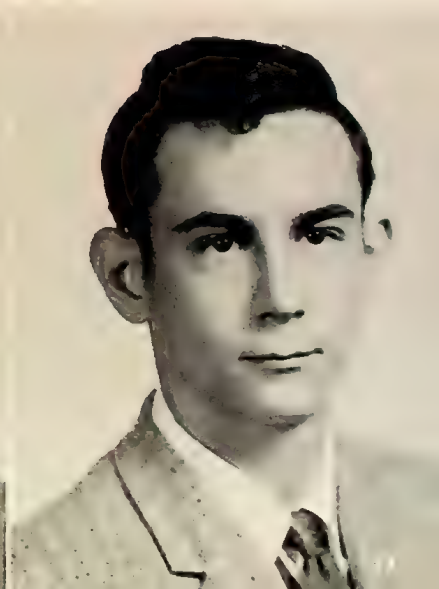
GERALD PARKER WAGONER
"Jerry"



JERRY WARREN WATTS
"Jerry"



LAWRENCE EUGENE WEAVER
"Gene"





MOST PLEASING PERSONALITY
James Hoey and Rita Nestor



NEATEST
David Hinkle and Judy Kenney

MOST ATHLETIC
Barbara Malone and Paul Borrer



CLASS CLOWN
Jim Rosskar

Senio



MOST DEPENDABLE
David Snyder and Linda Adams



and Kay Dolly



MOST COURTEOUS
Deanna Kenney - Jerry Gentry



MOST TALENTED
Judy Isner - Vernon Isner



BEST LOOKING
Jean Boyland - Frank Pyles

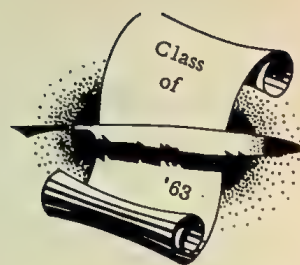
MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Shirley Goss - Lindley Newcomer



Favorites



Steve Allen
Timmy Arbachasky



Pauline Border
Donald Bosley
Janet Brelsford

Juniors



Donna Dowden
Janet Kenney
Susann Kimble
Linda Lindner



Junior Long
Larry Malone
Rita Mauk
Joann McDonald



Gloria Miller
Roy Owens
Chester Rogers
Betty Saville

Juniors



CLASS OFFICERS

President: Chuck McCort, Vice-President: Roxie Pyles, Standing: Secretary-Treasurer: Brenda Wagoner, Reporter: Dennis Pyles.

Dottie Shanholtz
Betty Shreve
Larry Smith
William Steed



Steve Stickley
Carol Umstot
Edward Wagoner
David Wagoner



Nancy Ward
Judith Weaver
Linda Weaver
Wallace Whitacre





TEN A

FIRST ROW: Bobby Hinkle, David Cox, Gerald Baldwin, Sharon Dixon, Darlene Baldwin, Shelia Gentry, Jack Lease, Mr. Oakman. SECOND ROW: Barbara Lease, Leona Fisher, Anna Barnes, Shirley Beam, Beverly Lambert, Bernadine Barnes, Maxine Hayes, Ronnie Kenney. THIRD ROW: Roxy Brown, Cathy Hershberger, Linda Files, Carolyn Isner, Wanda Getz, Shelba Cox, Mary Bowers. FOURTH ROW: Dale Kimble, Geraldine Hayes, Ernest Ashby, Dick Lark, Teddy Brant, Tim Beverlin, Kenneth Arnold.

Sophomores



TEN B

FIRST ROW: Gary Mangus, Alan Turley, Donnie Wagoner, Walter Malone, Randy Watts. SECOND ROW: Darlene Peer, Mrs. Farris, Larry Neff. THIRD ROW: Patty Robison, Marlene White, Sarah Whetzel, Irene Miller, Sharon Weaver. FOURTH ROW: Rita Pyles, Bill Malcolm, George Rosskamp, Sharon Smith, Robert Snyder, Joyce Metcalf. FIFTH ROW: Wesley Smith, Larry Spencer, Jesse Riggelman, Dale Pyles, Glenda Rhodes, Kay Steed, Judy Metcalf. SIXTH ROW: Carol Oats, Linda Marker, Bill Snyder, Betty Robison, Marlyn Markle, Lois Owens, Janice Rexrode, Judy Wagoner. SEVENTH ROW: Gary Millison, Bill Wagoner, Karen Parsons, Kitty Shreve, Donnie Price, Ronnie Price, Stanley Rhodes, Bruce Myers, Dennis Readd.



9 A

FIRST ROW: Allen Landis, Carol Goss, Nancy Adams, Mike Kreiger, Charles Hiatt, Michael Ashby, Patsy Grapes, Linda Kimble, Roger Kesner, Beverly Lee, Kay Dixon, Pat Arbachasky, Janie Collins, Kay Getz. SECOND ROW: Blair Deremer, Audrey Miltenberger, Bonnie Hiatt, Emma Alkire, Judy Livingood, Darlene Kesner, Dolores French, James McCort, Marshall Carder, Eddie Miller, Anna Lease, Sandra Hartman, Linda Combs. THIRD ROW: Mr. Treacy, Larry Liller, Dave Duncan, Roger Lark, Dwella McDonald, Geraldine Marker, Sheila Getz, Glenda Kimble, Donna Brown, Nancy Kenney, Donna Baldwin, Sharon Logsdon, Judy Alt. FOURTH ROW: Larry Gillespie, Robert Clark, Dick Kauffman, Kenneth Gillespie, Ray Knotts, Eugene Newhouse, Lynn Knotts, Darrel Bailey, Larry Mauk, Myron Moreland.

Freshmen



9 B

FIRST ROW: David Spencer, Sharon Umstot, Dale Weaver, Darrel Wagoner, Linda Self. SECOND ROW: Randy Steed, Francis Snyder, Donnie Self, Ronald Spencer, Leonard Wagoner, Linda White, Karen Ward, Donna Rhodes, Judy Oates. THIRD ROW: Ronald Sisk, Ronnie Riley, Shirley Sherman, Elmer O'Brien, Doris Sevier, Mrs. Shepp, Linda Twigg, Donna Wagoner, Faye Weese, Edie Shipman, Donna Schnibbe, Victoria Sheffler, Eva Shreve.



8 A

FIRST ROW: Paul Parrish, Mark Evans, Charles Wolford, Randy Marker, Gale Dowden, Linda Dayton, Royce Saville, Mary Millison. SECOND ROW: Steve Liller, Dick Kidwell, Kipp Ellifritz, Donnie Sisk, Guy Kimble, Ray Kidwell, Carolyn Kriglein, Anna Price, Brenda Cole, Sandra Malcolm, Kathleen Linn, Linda Liller. THIRD ROW: Ronald Kenney, Donald McTaggart, Douglas Rogers, Terry Adams, David Abe, Lee Lambert, Mary Myers, Earlene Grace, Imogene Arnold, Ruth McDonald, Linda Nestor, Helen Smith, Mr. May.

Eighth Grade



8 B

FIRST ROW: Roger White, Roger Whitacre, Peggy Collins, James Hott, Robert Baldwin, Christine Seeders, James Lee, Roger Wagoner. SECOND ROW: Mr. Clifton, Leslie Cupp, Ivan Kidwell, James Iman, Catherine Barnes, Bonnie Landis, Nancy White, Edith Snyder, Bonnie Bosley, Ruth Smith, Elaine Weaver, George Wagoner, Charles Lambert. THIRD ROW: Rickey Watts, Glen Fink, Larry Armbogast, Roger Crider, Shirley Riggleman, Vickie Brelsford, 24 Bonita Adams, James Lewis, Dale Householder, John Pyles.



7TH GRADE

FIRST ROW: Cheryl See, Mary Lou Kenney, Nancy Abe, John Brown, Carolyn Wright, David Pyles, Linda Arbogast, Randy Logsdon, Sharon Blow, Harold Kimble, Doris Neff, Ilene Shreve, Amelia Landis. SECOND ROW: Harriet Pyles, Paul Wilison, Charles Riley, Marylan Self, Sharon Dennison, Diana Kimble, Patricia Combs, Peggy Shreve, Mary Abe, Charles Elsin, Johnny Johnson, Kenny Parsons. THIRD ROW: Patricia Crider, Ruth Smith, Debbie Adams, Nina Hott, Cris Shanholtz, Donald Yaider, Larry Lease, Allen Miltenberger, Robert Lease, Jimmie Kauffman, David Bosley, Leo Lease, Mr. Thorn.

Seventh Grade

Classes Have



Mr. Riley teaches Archery to 9A.

Activities

11th grade "Sox Hop" fun for all as the senior boys (Frank Pyles, Jim Hoey, Harold Kerns, and Vernon Isner) helped to entertain.







Summer



President Kay gets a shoe shine from new member Shirley Lease.



"Shine them good, girls."



One phase of initiation.

Future Homemakers of America



FIRST ROW: Karen Parsons, Judy Weaver, Linda Weaver, Carol Umstot, Janet Brelsford, Brenda Wagoner, Kitty Shreve. SECOND ROW: Pauline Border, Deanna Kenney, Rita Nestor, Sharon Parsons, Maxine Hayes, Mary Border, Linda Adams, Marilyn Markle. THIRD ROW: Judy Kenney, Shirley Goss, Jean Boyland, Joyce Lark. FOURTH ROW: Kay Dolly, Mrs. Shepp, Advisor.



FIRST ROW: David Snyder, Jerry Watts, Barbara Malone, Donna Dowden, Judy Isner, Roxie Pyles. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Farris, Carol Goss, Nancy Adams, Edith Shipman. THIRD ROW: Rita Pyles, Sheila Gentry, Linda Marker, Linda Files, Glenda Rhodes.

Future Teachers of America



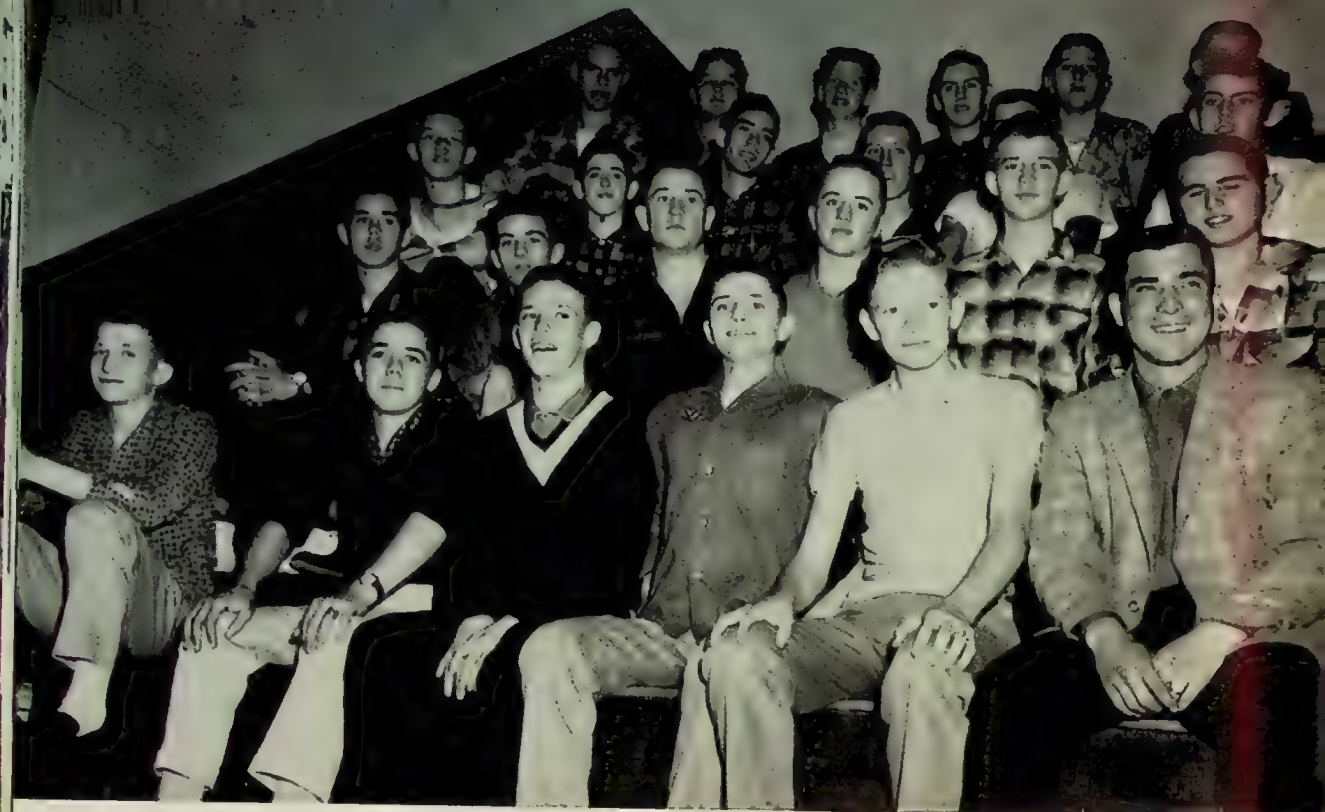
OFFICERS

FIRST ROW: Mrs. Farris, Advisor; Barbara Malone, President; Jerry Watts, Vice-President; Donna Dowden, Secretary. SECOND ROW: Judy Isner, Parliamentarian; David Snyder, Historian; Roxie Pyles, Treasurer.

A CALL TO TEACH

We have pledged our lives to the nation's youth, to the pledge we will be true. We will lift our eyes to the stars of truth as the goals we keep in view. For America's schools are the hope of the world, for the freedom and peace of us all. So we, the Future Teachers, will lead the way, as we joyously heed the call.





Left to Right: Kenneth Gillespie, Larry Mauk, Larry Liller, Dale Kimble, Bobby Hinkle, Roger Lark, Myron Moreland, Leonard Wagoner, Ernest Ashby, Eugene Newhouse, Dick Lark, Jessie Riggleman, Robert Clark, Michael Ashby, Paul Borror, David Spencer, Dennis Pyles, Larry Gillespie, Eddie Miller, Jack Lease, Ronnie Riley, Randy Watts, Larrie Smith, and Mr. Thorn.



Larrie Smith and his cow "Suzy" took first place at the fair.

*S. C. Sponsors
First Snow Ball
Dec. 16, 1961*



Snow Ball King and Queen
ALLEN TURLEY - JUDY METCALF



*Student
Council*

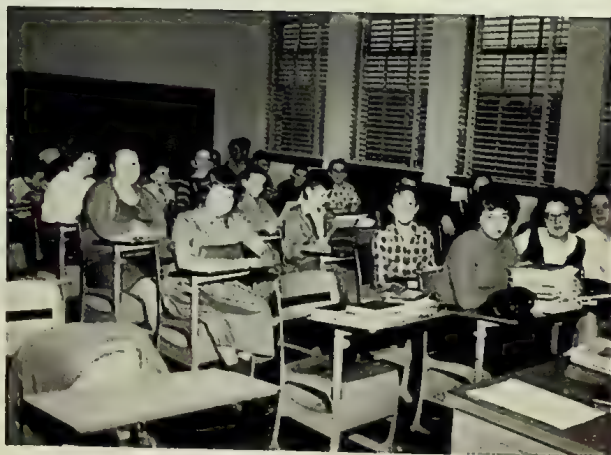


FIRST ROW: Mrs. Shepp, Frank Pyles, Mr. Knierim. SECOND ROW: Larry Spencer, Lynn Knotts, Gary Mangus, Wallace Whitacre. THIRD ROW: Jerry Gentry, Wanda Umstot, Geraldine Marker, Dwella McDonald, Nancy Ward. FOURTH ROW: Rita Nester, Pauline Border, Glenda Rhodes, Joann McDonald, Linda Twigg, Judy Oates. ABSENT WERE: George Wagoner, Randy Logsdon, Sharon Dennison.

Activity Clubs



Glee Club is sponsored by Mrs. Betty Howard and Robert Knierim. From this club you can hear the



HOBBY CLUB

To develop new skills for tomorrow these students are now learning by doing such hobbies as sewing, painting, model building, and other skillful projects. Mrs. Patricia Farris is sponsor.

BIBLE CLUB

Members of this club will be America's strength tomorrow. By studying our Bible these students learn how to distinguish right from wrong. Mr. Homer May is sponsor.





Activity Clubs

CLUB

school spirit sounding at its best. They sing many of the old favorites as well as the new songs of today.

CAMERA CLUB

Take good pictures! That is what these students are learning to do. These students will be our future Fortress Photographers. Mr. Maurice Treacy is this club's sponsor.



SCIENCE CLUB

Through trial and error and through experimentation these students are the future builders of our nation, trying to develop better products for tomorrow. Mr. Kenneth Ward is their sponsor.



SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT

School improvement is a very important club in our school. Some of the things it does to beautify our school are to keep the lawn clean, to trim the shrubbery and to clean windows. The sponsor is Mr. Donald Thorn.

Activit

JR. HI DANCING

Mr. Kenneth Clifton instructs seventh and eighth graders in learning the latest dance steps, as well as the traditional dance routines.



HOBBY

Students in Mr. Robert Sirk's hobby club are developing new interests in life with such hobbies as models, painting, art work, reading, and needle work.

COIN COLLECTION

The coin collection club is made up entirely of boys, whose collections include both American and Foreign coins, dating from 1800 to 1961. Mr. Lane Oakman is sponsor.



Clubs



SR. HI DANCING

Sponsored by Mr. Edward Riley, is composed of ninth through twelfth graders who already know how to dance, but are trying to better themselves and also learn a few of the newer steps.

AUDIO VISUAL

These members learn how to properly operate the school's movie projector, slide machine, and other educational aids. Mr. Quentin Sayers is sponsor.



Editor - - - - - Linda Adams
 Advertising - - - - Barbara Malone
 Photography - - Lindley Newcomer
 Senior Editors - - - - Frank Pyles
 Jerry Wagoner
 Activities Editor - - - - Jerry Watts
 Subscription - - - - Judy Robison
 Boosters - - - - - Kay Dolly
 Sports - - - - - Wanda Umstot
 Harold Kerns
 Business Manager - - - - Judy Isner
 Art Editor - - - - - David Snyder

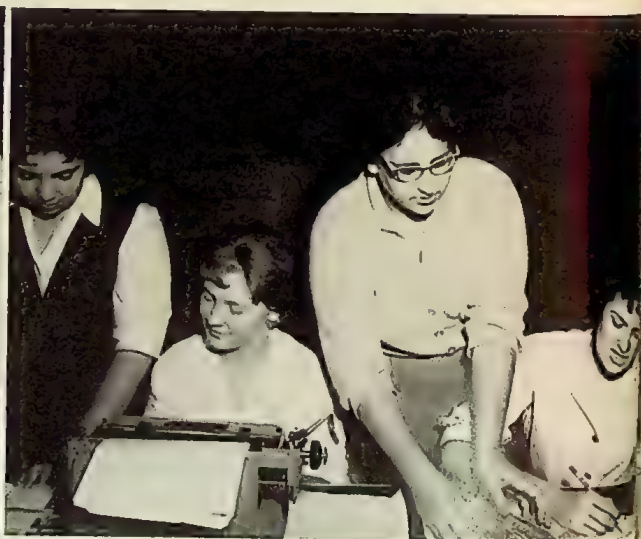


Left to Right: Harold Kerns, Jerry Watts, Wanda Umstot, Jerry Wagoner, Deanna Kenney, and Frank Pyles.

Fortress Staff

Left to Right: Lindley Newcomer, Linda Adams, and David Snyder.

Left to Right: Judy Robison, Barbara Malone, Kay Dolly, and Judy Isner.



The publication of the 1962 FORTRESS has been a memorable experience for those who have been given the opportunity to do so. The spirit and co-operation that each member has given in performing his various duties has been a major factor in making the yearbook. We, the Fortress Staff, hope that each reader will enjoy its pages and all the memorable events of our past school year.

FALASHBIAN STAFF

Co-Editors - - - - -	Janet Kenney Joyce Lark
News Editor - - - - -	Judy Robison
Sports Editor - - - - -	Steve Allen
Feature Editor - - - - -	Janet Brelsford
Business Editor - - - - -	Roxie Pyles
Club Editor - - - - -	Gloria Miller
Art Editor - - - - -	Brenda Wagoner
Humor Editor - - - - -	Linda Lindner
Mimeograph Operator - - - - -	Bill Steed
Proofreaders - - - - -	Rita Mauk Linda Weaver



Left to Right: Mrs. Farris, Judy Robison, Linda Lindner, and Janet Kenney.

Falashbian Staff



Left to Right: Rita Mauk, Bill Steed, and Linda Weaver.
Absent from picture Joyce Lark.

Left to Right: Larry Smith, Janet Brelsford, Steve Allen, Brenda Wagoner, Betty Saville, Roxie Pyles, Gloria Miller, Barbara Sampson, and Rita Nestor.



*Queen
Ceres
XII*

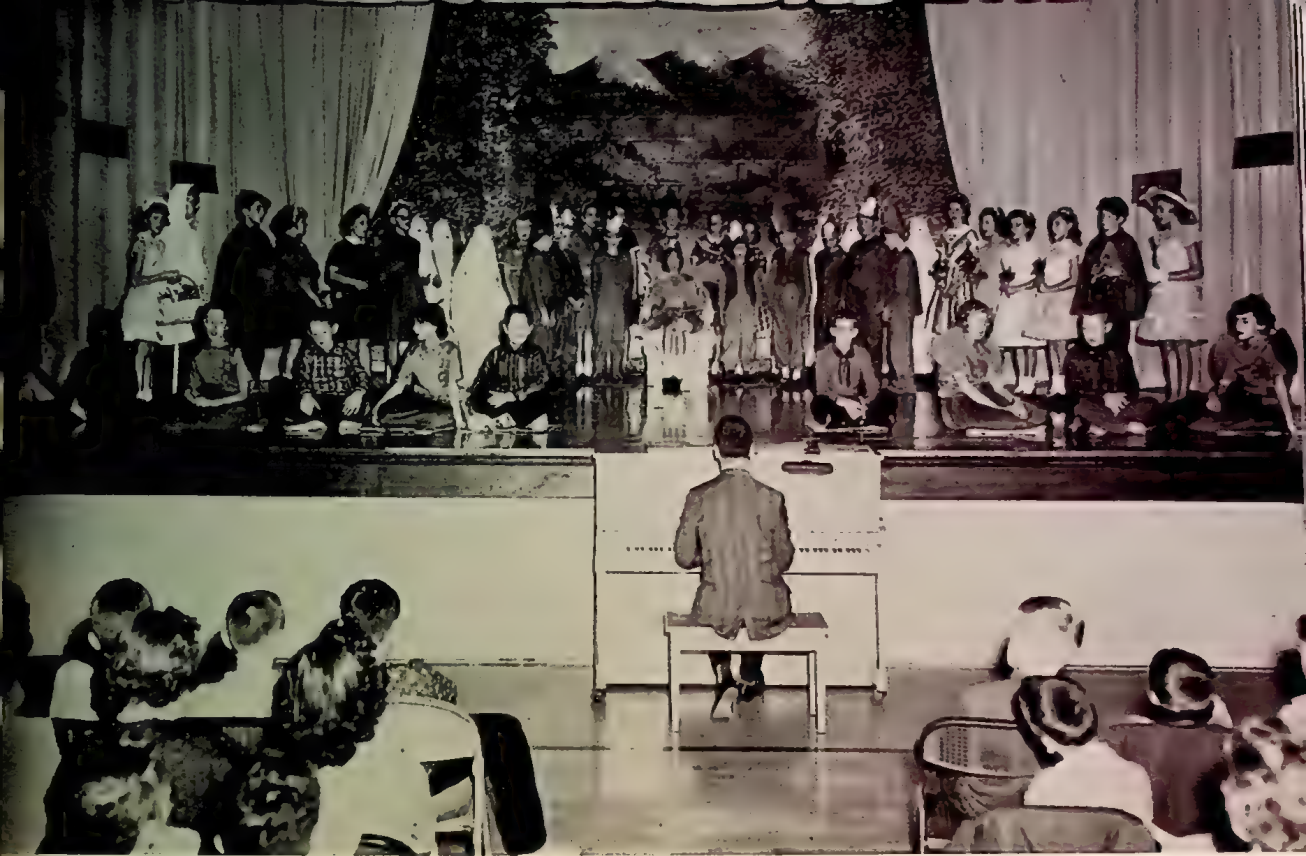
Sarah Wetzel



Autumn Ball



Left to Right: 11th Janet Brelsford, Steve Allen; 10-A Cathy Hershberger, Jack Lease; 8-A Christine Seeders, Dale Householder; 7th Mary Lou Kenney, Larry Lease; Flower Girls - Debby McDonald, Phylis Mauk; Queen Ceres Sarah Wetzel, Escort Bill Malcolm; Crown Bearer - Jimmy Dowden; Principal Mr. J. W. Marker; 8-B Linda Nestor, Donald McTaggart; 9-A Sandra Hartman, Ray Knotts; 12th Rita Nestor, Vernon Isner; Absent Sharon Umstor.



"SPRING, SUMMER, AUTUMN, FALL"

November 17, 1961

Fall Festival

"Welcome" by Jo Ann Heavner

SPRING: "Every Season Has a Reason;"

"Robin's Song" by Robin Dohrman,
May Pole Dance.

SUMMER: "Strolling Through the Park
One Day," "In The Good Old Sum-
mer Time," "There Are Many Flags
in Many Lands," and a Flag Drill.

AUTUMN: Autumn Festival, "Ghost
Song," "Pumpkin Polka," and
"Thanksgiving Hymn."

WINTER: Rhythm Band played: "Jingle
Bells," "Jolly Old St. Nicholas,"
and "White Christmas."

FINALE: "Home for the Holidays."





STAGE CREW

Jack Mauk, Glen Logsdon, Jerry Watts, Gene Weaver, Shirley Lease, Judy Kenney, Rita Nestor.



"Delia Stephen - a newspaper writer."

Kay Dolly, Linda Adams, Judy Isner, Judy Kenney, Harold Kerns, Jean Boyland.



ANNOUNCER

Barbara Malone



Prompters, Deanna Kenney, Frank Pyles and Judy Clark help policeman Tony (Ronald Crider) Nason with "proper" police action.



"We're glad to see you."

Harold Kerns, Vernon Isner, Ronald Crider, David Snyder, Jean Boyland, Judy Isner.



Kay Dolly, Lindley Newcomer, Jim Hoey, Linda Adams, Ronald Crider, Vernon Isner, David Snyder, Jean Boyland, Harold Kerns, Omitted: Judy Isner, Judy Kenney.

Seniors Present "Night of Terror"

by

RICHARD HILL WILKINSON

CAST

Lee Kempton	-----	DAVID SNYDER
Christine Thorndike	-----	JEAN BOYLAND
Janice Newbury	-----	JUDY ISNER
Rus Julian	-----	HAROLD KERNS
Reynolds	-----	LINDLEY NEWCOMER
Lolita Vernon	-----	KAY DOLLY
Agatha Pillsbury	-----	LINDA ADAMS
Sheriff Len Allerton	-----	VERNON ISNER
Dr. George Ingraham	-----	JIM HOEY
Delia Stephen	-----	JUDY KENNEY
Tony Nason	-----	RONALD CRIDER



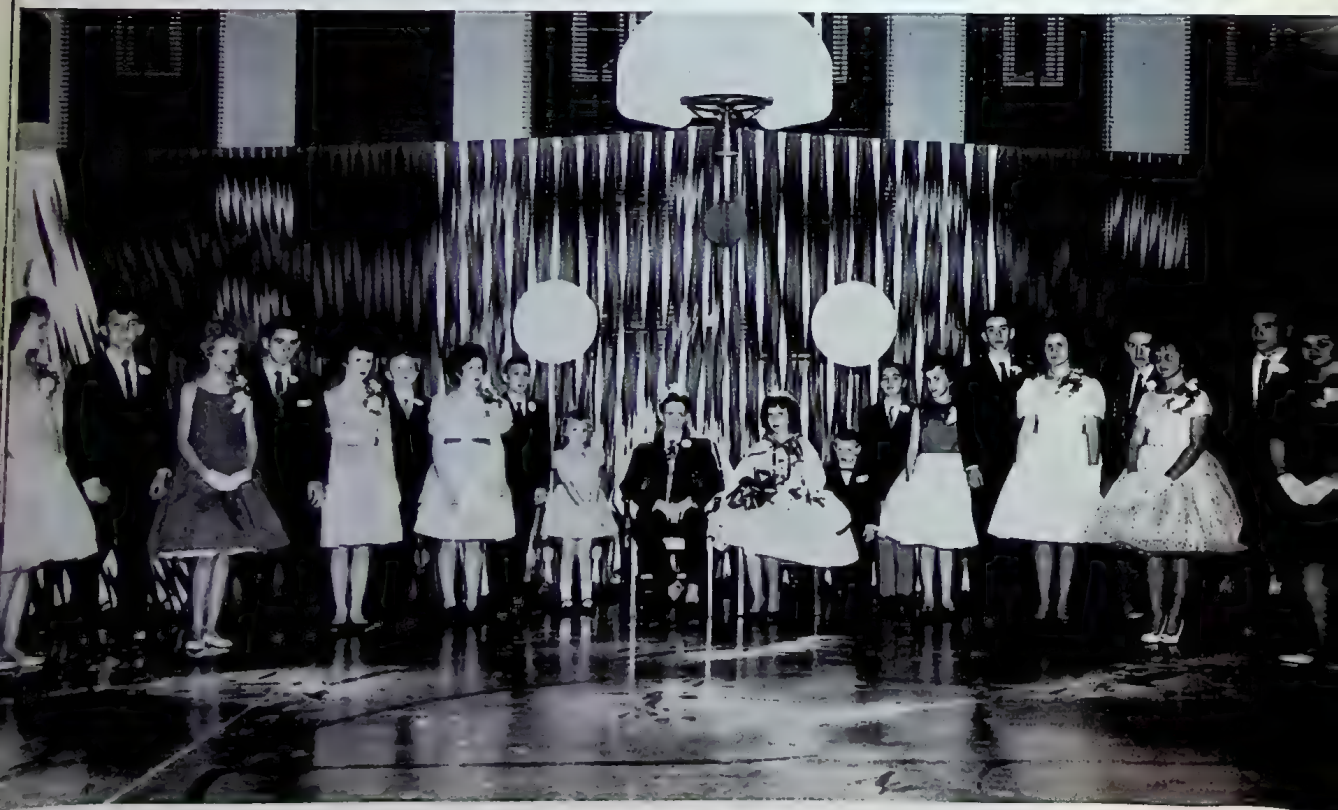
"Help me, Doc, someone bumped off Aggie."

Vernon Isner, Linda Adams, Lindley Newcomer, Jim Hoey.

Snow Ball



KING: Allen Turley - QUEEN: Judy Metcalf



SNOW BALL COURT - Wanda Umstot, Bob Hinkle, 12th; Carol Welch, Dale Weaver, 9B; Peggy Collins, Ivan Kidwell, 8B; Sharon (Blauch) Soles, Randy Logsdon, 7th; Crown Bearer Debbie McDonald; King Allen Turley, Queen Judy Metcalf, 10B; Crown Bearer, Bobby Twigg; Richard Kidwell, Linda Dayton, 8A; Lynn Knotts, Donna Baldwin, 9A; Calvin Lechlitter, Shirley Beam, 10A; Wallace Whitacre, Carol Umstot, 11th.



JUDY KENNEY



Sweetheart Dance



Left to Right: Ernest Ashby, Larry Smith, David Spencer, Dennis Pyles, Cathy Nestor, Brenda Kimble, Queen Judy Kenney, Paul Borrer, Mark Smith, Deanna Kenney, Mary Border, Pauline Border, and Joyce Lark.



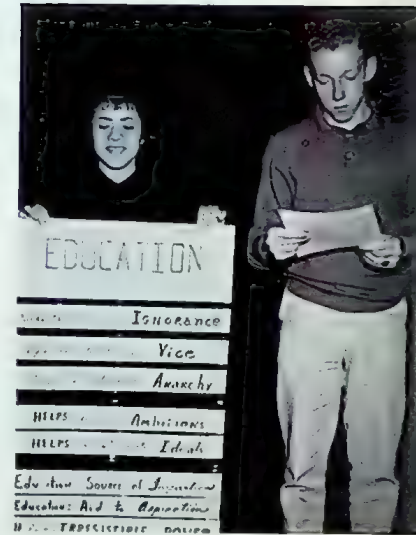
FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

Under the direction of Mr. Riley and Mr. Clifton the movie "Safety Checks" was shown. A demonstration was given by the Fort Ashby Volunteer Fire Company, concerning the company's equipment.



EDUCATION WEEK

The program was directed by Mrs. Howard and Mr. Sayers. Jim Hoey gave the reading "Education" and Jean Boyland displayed a poster on the basic benefits of education. The film "Freedom to Learn" was shown to guests and students.



SAFETY ASSEMBLY

Mr. Earl Wolford, Nationwide Insurance representative, gave a talk "Safety with the Automobile." A student demonstration of braking a car in an emergency was given after his address. Mr. Knierim, Vernon Isner, Kay Dolly, and Trooper Noechel demonstrated reflex-reactions in stopping a car - from a given point, at a given time, to a given point. Kay Dolly rated the best in the test results. Her results were 14 ft. 4 in., 14 ft. 9 in., and 29 ft. 1 in.



THANKSGIVING ASSEMBLY

The 10th grade presented the "Thanksgiving Assembly." The play "The Dream Doctor," was directed by Mrs. Farris and Mr. Oakman. The cast included: Donald Wagoner, Billy Malcolm, George Roskamp, Randy Watts, Ronald Kenney, Gary Milleson, Allen Turley, Jack Lease, Roxie Brown, Kay Steed, and Gary Mangus.

Assemblies



THANKSGIVING ASSEMBLY

Mr. Knierim's 7th grade music class sang, "Come Ye Thankful People Come," "We Gather Together," and "Now Thank We All Our God."



CHRISTMAS ASSEMBLY

The play, "Home For Christmas," was presented by the Junior Class. The directors were Mrs. Shepp, Mr. Ward, and Mr. May. The cast included Janet Brelsford, Judy Weaver, Linda Lindner, Bill Steed, David Wagoner, and Junior Long.



The Christmas tree was decorated by the following members of the student body: Judy Kenney, Linda Adams, Judy Isner, Wanda Umstot, and Jean Boyland.





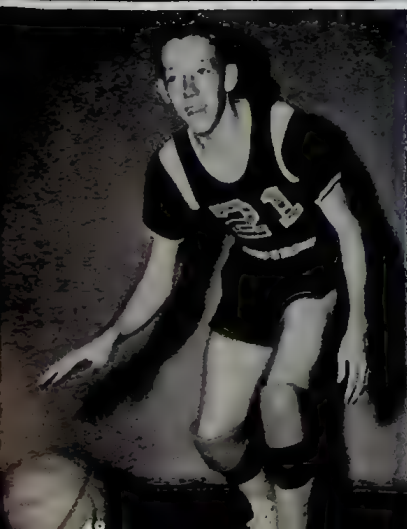
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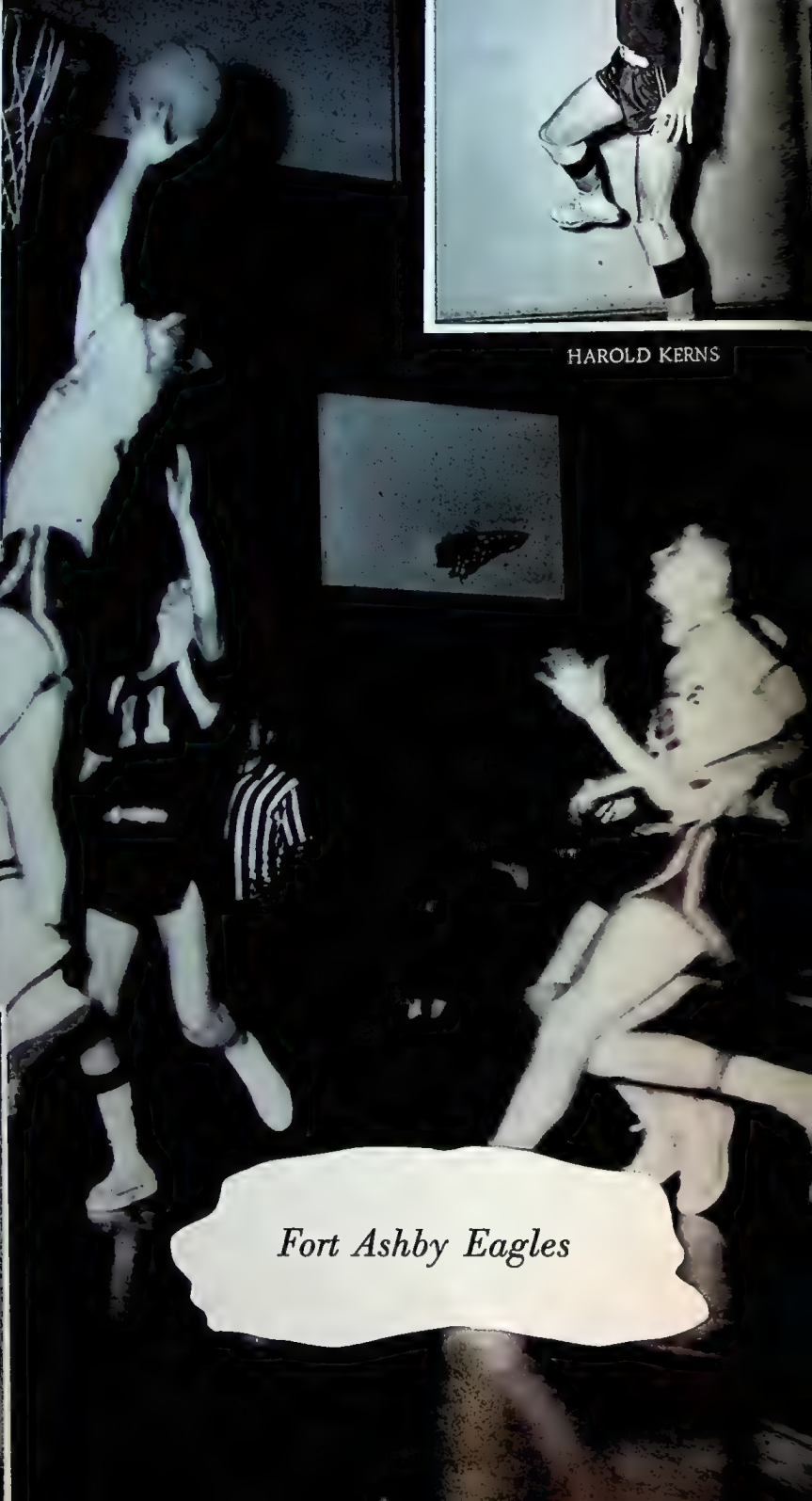
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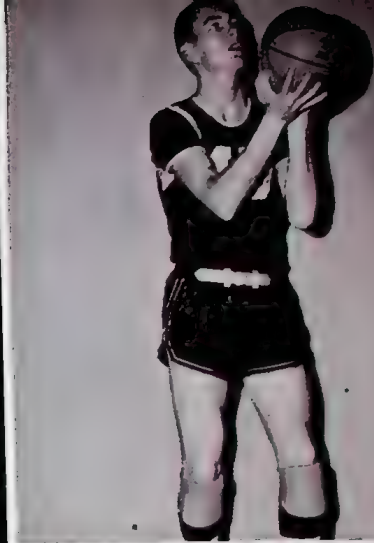


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Fort Ashby Eagles

*Eagles Tangle With La Salle
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Assistant Coach - Edward Riley and Coach - Quentin Sayers

1961-62 Basketball Season



SCHEDULE

Opponent	We	They
LaSalle	64	71
Beall	52	61
Romney	61	58
Ridgeley	49	57
Fort Hill	44	67
Capon Bridge	65	48
Alumni	69	60
Paw Paw	69	51
Ridgeley	70	33
Keyser	47	51
W. Va. Deaf	49	55
Romney	64	59
Capon Bridge	70	36
Beall	57	49
W. Va. Deaf	49	55
Paw Paw	61	59
Elk Garden	59	71
Wardensville	76	68
Keyser	38	48
LaSalle	62	74
Elk Garden	67	81

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Malcolm Watts Wagoner Kreiger

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Randy Jack Maurice
Watts Mauk Dowden





"Get that ball, Eagles."

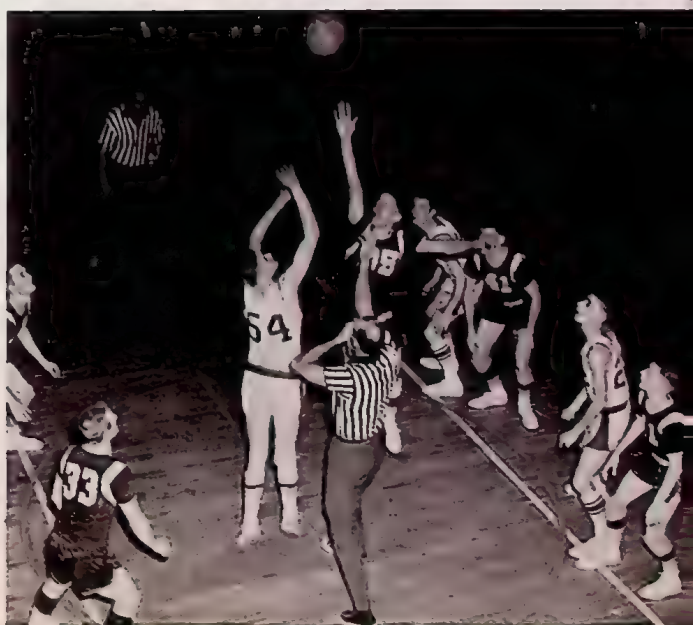


"Make it good, Paul."

Come Walk Along With the "EAGLES"



"Way to go, Vernon."



"Jump high, Harold."

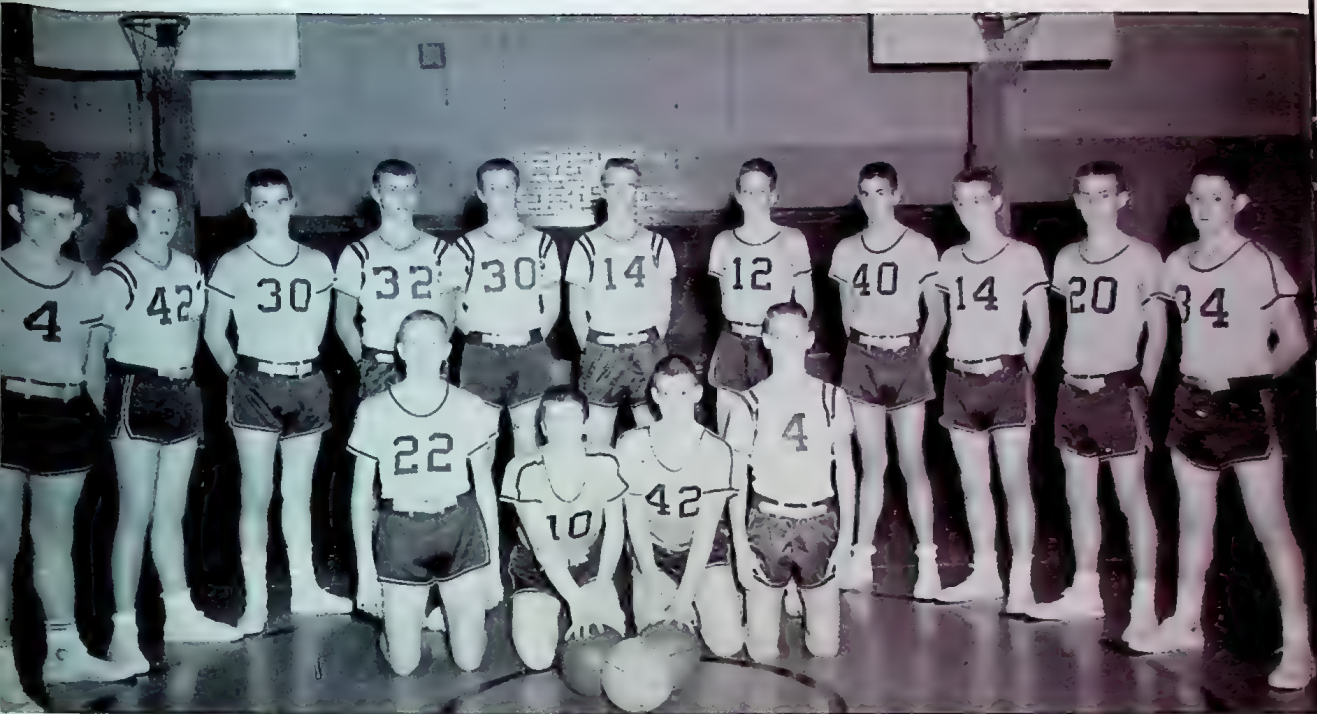


F.A.H.S. Varsity

Jim Hoey (21) sr., Lindley Newcomer (25) sr., Frank Pyles (41) sr., Buck Malone (45) soph., Vernon Isner (43) sr., Gary Mangus (11) soph., Harold Kerns (35) sr., Steve Allen (23) jr., Paul Borrer (33) sr., Wallace Whitacre (31) jr., Bill Steed (13) jr., Donnie Bosley (15) jr.

Under the coaching strategy of coach Quentin Sayers, the Fort Ashby "Eagles," although starting with a few heartbreaking losses, completed the remainder of the 1961-62 basketball season with a team showing fine sportsmanship and capability. Harold Kerns served as captain during most of the season and was high scorer as were: Vernon Isner, Paul Borrer, and Gary Mangus. The team completed the season with a 11 and 10 rating.

Jr. Varsity



FRONT ROW: Larry Spencer, Donnie Wagoner, Gerald Baldwin, Gary Mangus. SECOND ROW: Stanley Rhodes, Bruce Meyers, Chuck McCort, Buck Malone, Teddy Brant, Gary Milleson, Allen Turley, Dick Lark, Donnie Price, Ronnie Price, and Tim Beverlin.



FRONT ROW: Allen Miltenberger, Ronnie Kenney, Ronnie Sisk. SECOND ROW: Terry Adams, David Duncan, Dick Kauffman, Roger Lark, Charles Hiatt, Larry Liller, Ray Knotts, Lynn Knotts, Ronnie Riley, Dale Weaver, and David Spencer.

Runner Up Jr. Hi Tournament



Wanda Umstot, Captain

Judy Isner

Linda Adams

Brenda Wagoner

Varsity



WANDA UMSTOT



BRENDA WAGONER

Cheerleaders



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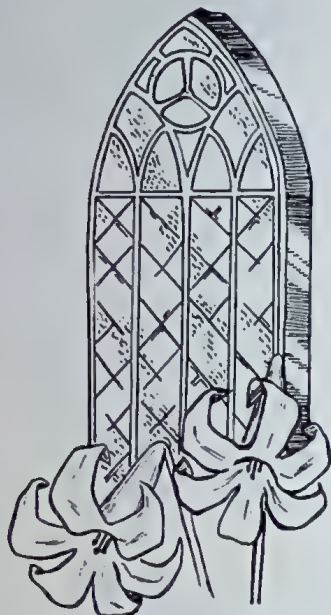
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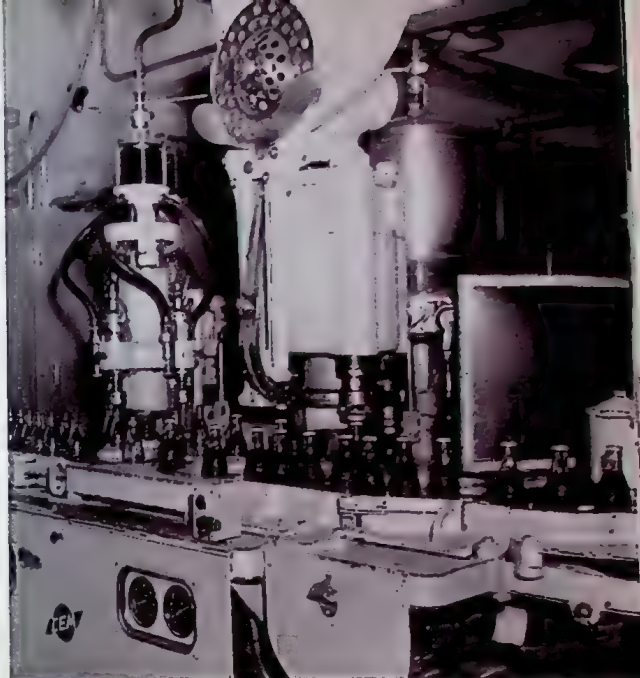
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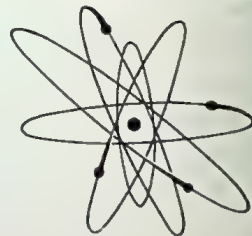


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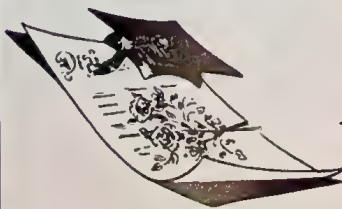
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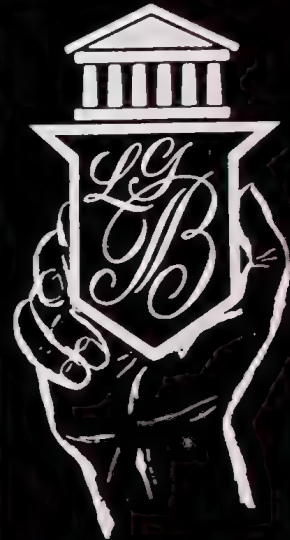
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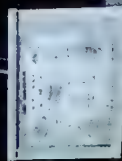


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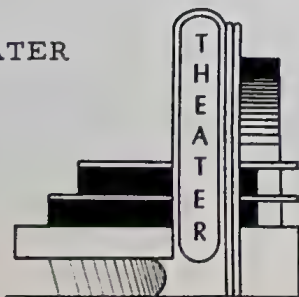
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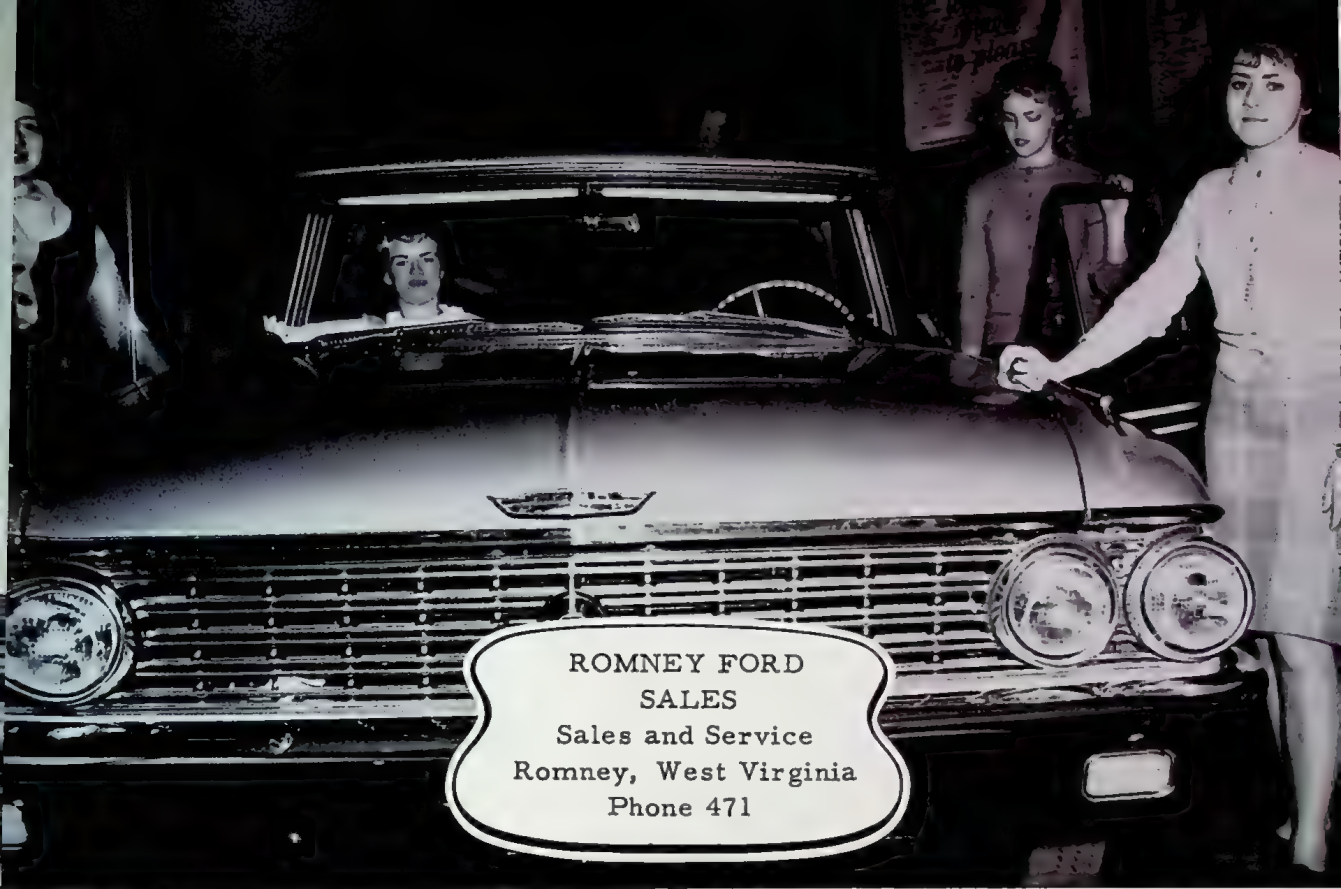
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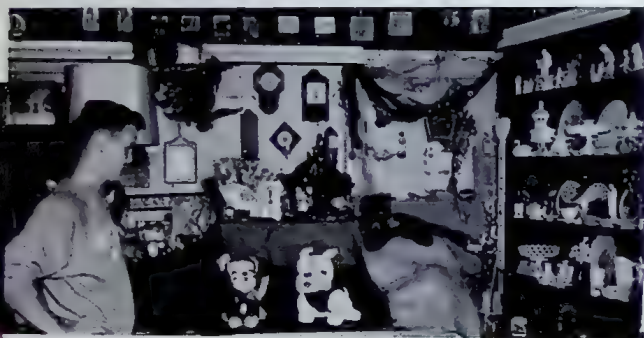
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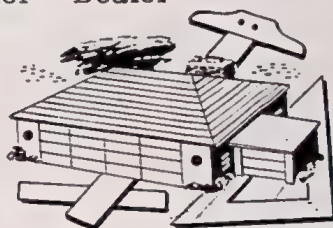
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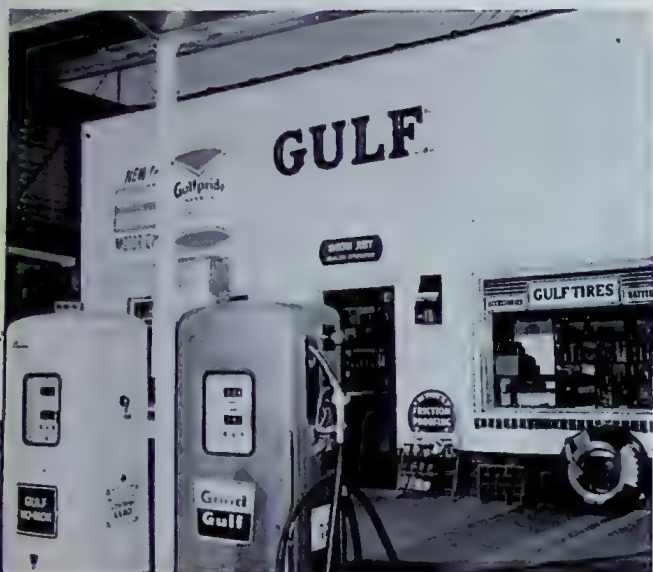
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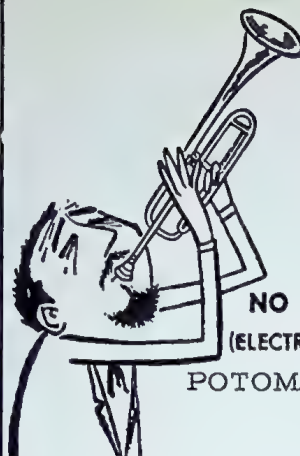
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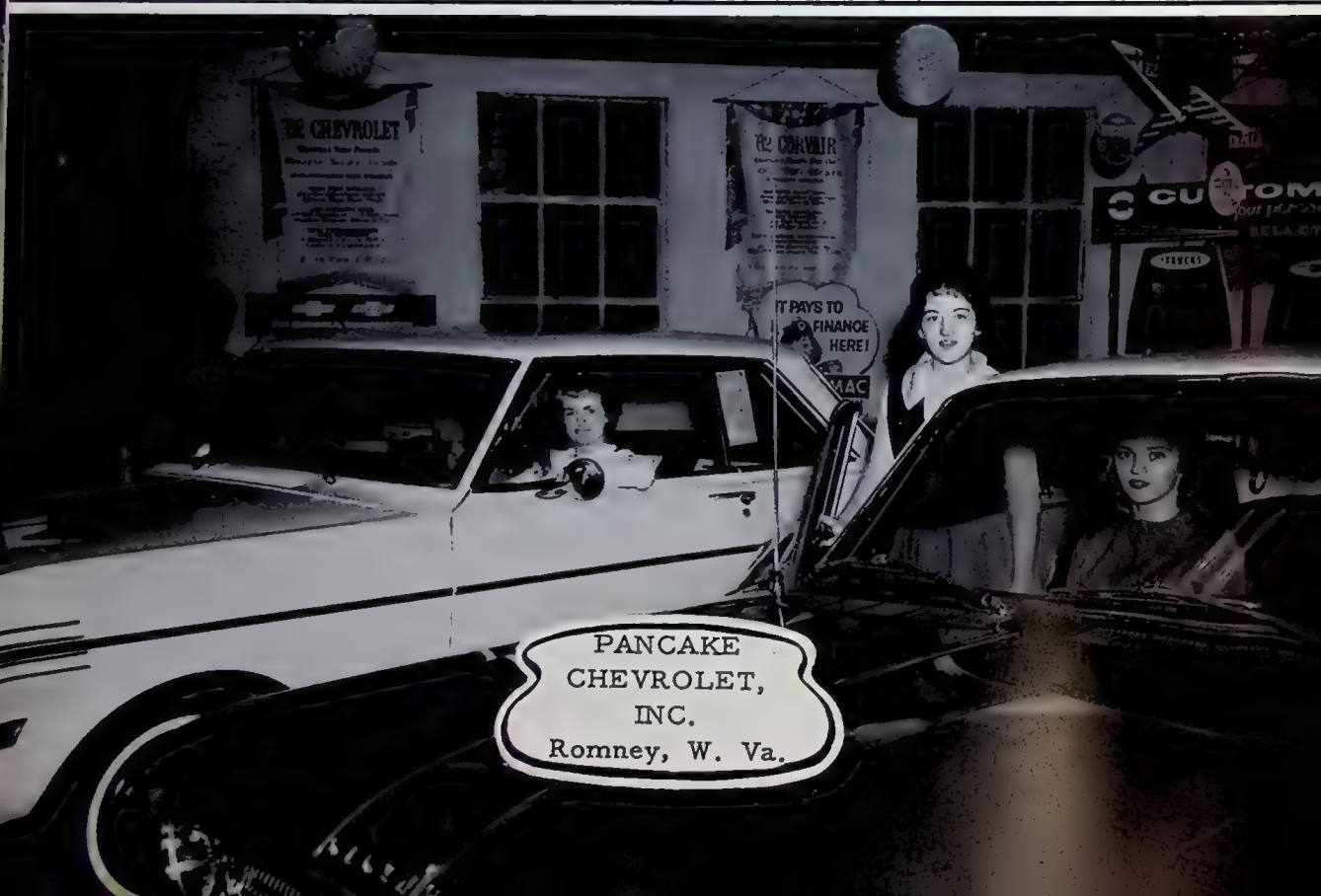
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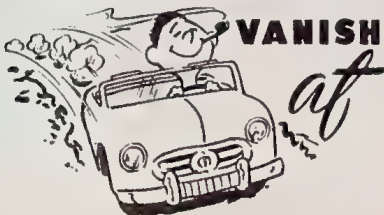
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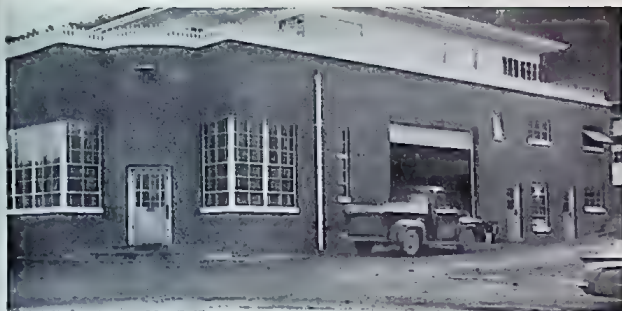
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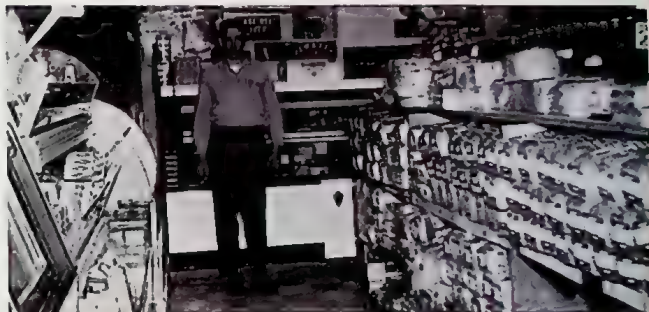
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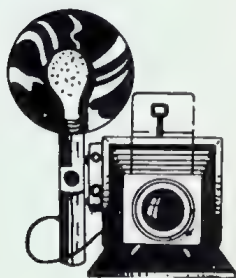
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